Coaching and Empowering Caregivers of Children with Hearing Loss, an approach to foster well-being

By Joanne Travers, A publication of Partners for A Greater Voice, Inc. Ipswich, Massachusetts

LOCAL AUTHOR EVENT: JUNE 9th, 3-5pm
Join us at Gathrworks in downtown Ipswich to celebrate Joanne’s international journey to support and empower parental caregivers of children with hearing loss. Food and beverages provided.

Coaching and Empowering Caregivers of Children with Hearing Loss, an approach to foster well-being is Joanne’s first book. It is a culmination of her twenty years of support given to families, parenting experience, mind/body health, and international missions she directed for Partners A Greater Voice (PGV), a non-profit training and education organization, www.greatervoice.com

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~ James Saunders, MD | Professor of Otology & Neurotology, Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth, Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center, New Hampshire, U.S.A.; Co-Chairperson, Coalition for Global Hearing Health, Medical Director, Mayflower Medical Outreach

“The author has provided uncommon and practical insights for supporting parents and professional caregivers of children with hearing loss. Her perspectives on a variety of issues confronted in caring for children with hearing loss should enrich cross-cultural understanding of the unique and surmountable challenges of ensuring optimal quality of life for the affected children throughout the life course.”
~ Bolajoko Oluwasanya, MD, PhD | Developmental Pediatrician, Nigeria

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If you want to “catch up” with Andrea Morris, you might have to don a glove and hat.

“I started playing softball in Ipswich as a young girl, and I am still involved in it today,” she says. “Ipswich Gals Youth Softball, which is now known as Ipswich Travel Softball (ITS),” she says. “My mom coached and my dad was an umpire...

Noting she worked with other parents to help grow ITS through community relationship building, Andrea says her daughter has participated in it, too. Andrea is now ITS president.

“I can't do it without our former and current ITS Board Members--a huge thank you Stacey Stone, Donnie 'HC' Stone, Julia Beketitis, Laura Hart, Michelle Verfaillie and Julie Calzini.” Recently, things are looking even brighter for ITS.

“We are very fortunate that the Ipswich High School hired a new varsity coach this year who believes strongly in the youth program,” she says. “After several years of hard work, all of the pieces are falling together.”

When she is not working on softball, Andrea enjoys watching the Patriots, Red Sox and Bruins. Her favorite place to be is Crane Beach with her family or with her dog, Joe, during the off season.

“Thanks to our newly formed board, we are now a non-profit and building not just a softball program, but a softball community,” she says. “Two of my first jobs were working at the Clam Box and waitressing at William's Bakery,” she says. “These jobs led me to the next job, which led to the next job and so on which helped me land in the job I have today.”

As for her career, Andrea says she cannot imagine doing anything else. She currently works at The Arc of Greater Haverhill-Newburyport as an Education & Outreach Manager. “It is all about creating opportunities and making connections.”

She says prior jobs helped lead to her current career.

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As for the future, Andrea says she will follow her family’s motto, which is to “Lighten up, let it go, live in the moment.”

“We actually have a plaque that says that,” she says.
June Calendar of Events

Monday June 3, 10, 17 & 24
Ipswich Dinner Bell
Where: Masonic Hall, 70 Topsfield Road, Ipswich
Time: 5:00 – 6:00 pm
FREE CommUnity Dinner, Ipswich Dinner Bell is a town-wide collaboration among Ipswich churches, individuals, and groups including the Masons, Ipswich Rotary and Ipswich Lions Club. Initiated by a small group from Immanuel Baptist Church, the collaborators quickly grew to include the Our Lady of Hope Roman Catholic Church, First Presbyterian Church, United Methodist Church, Ascension Memorial Episcopal Church, First Church (Congregational), the Christian Science Church, the Greek Orthodox Church, and Orthodox Church of St. John. Mission Statement. Knowing that hunger presents itself both physically and relationally, the Ipswich Dinner Bell is a non-profit cooperation of Churches and Community organizations that exists with a shared love of God and neighbor to serve hot, nutritious meals, free to all who come, and create a mealtime atmosphere of fellowship with one another.

June 8
Ipswich Poetry Group
Where: Ipswich Public Library, 25 N Main Street
Time: 3:30pm - 5:00pm
The Ipswich Poetry Group meets upstairs on the second and fourth Wednesdays every month at 6:30pm to share poems in progress and give and receive feedback. All are welcome! Email ipswichpoetry@gmail.com with questions, or call Sarah at 617-584-7025.

June 9
Book Launch local Author Joanne Travers
Time: 3-5pm
Where: Guthuro in downtown Ipswich to celebrate Joanne’s international journey to support and empower parental caregivers of children with hearing loss. Food and beverages provided. Coaching and Empowering Caregivers of Children with Hearing Loss, an approach to foster well-being in Joanne’s first book. It is a culmination of her twenty years of support given to families, parenting experience, mind/body health, and international missions she directed for Partners A Greater Voice (PGV), a non-profit training and education organization. www.greatervoice.com.

Saturday June 15
Paddle A Thon
Where: Topfield Fairground Route 97
Celebrate the fundraising efforts of the Paddle Raisers, our corporate sponsors and (of course) the Ipswich River! Bring the whole family, this event is great nature lovers of all ages and breeds (yes, dogs are allowed)! Everyone can have a great time on the river.

June 18
Collins Meeting Room
Where: Ipswich Public Library-25 North Main Street, Ipswich, MA, 01948
Time: 6:30-8:00 pm
Ipswich Poetry Group’s monthly open mic series Got Poetry? on your site? It’s hosted at ZUMU’s Espresso & Ice Cream and takes place on the 3rd Saturday of each month from 6-8pm. Poetry is the primary focus, but creative types of all stripes are welcome to their 5-minute mic. Our facebook site is here: https://www.facebook.com/pages/Ipswichtowncouncil/248650165279204

Select Wednesdays in June
Trivial Night
Where: True North Ale Company 490 Newburyport Turnpike
Time: 6:00pm - 8:00pm
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Every Friday in June
Mother Goose on the Loose
Time: 10:00am -10:30am
Where: Ipswich Public Library
An interactive early literacy program for caregivers with infants through 2-year-olds. Songs, stories, music and finger-plays for caregivers and babies to enjoy together. Ipswich Children’s Room staff are trained in the presentation of this well-renowned program. No registration is required, and siblings welcomed. Call the Children’s Room at 978-412-8713 with any questions.

Friday in June
Friday Night Wine Down at Mill River Winery
Where: Mill River Winery 490 Newburyport Turnpike
Time: 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM
Chill out with us at our popular Friday Night Wine Down! Wines sold by the glass & every Friday has a different theme: Save 10% on wine six-packs, mixed varieties, all day on Fridays. Stock up for football, book clubs, dinner parties or yourself!

Does your organization have an event coming up? We’d love to include you in the next edition of Ipswich Neighbors. Email your information to Noreen Trudel at strudel@bestversionmedia.com.

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IPSWICH NEIGHBORS

Charity Spotlight

By Noreen Trudel

Partners for A Greater Voice (PGV) began in 2001 as a Coalition, small, charitable organization. Their cause and purpose serve practitioners and caregivers of children with hearing loss in low income countries. With the emergence of available hearing technologies, audiologists, teachers of the deaf, and interpreters, and support to sustain hearing health practices and family supports.

More than 70 volunteer partners have traveled with PGV on training missions to the Dominican Republic, India, and Honduras between 2001 and 2016. More than 30 training and education missions have aligned with priority interests. They provide training to teachers of the deaf, audiologists and technicians, hearing specialists, and children of all ages with varying degrees of hearing loss.

As a global nonprofit in the field of social entrepreneurs, PGV partners are social service providers, social advocates, and social entrepreneurs in the new decade of global change and humanitarian movement. Traditionally, partners of PGV develop and implement meaningful, concrete lessons for practitioners and parents in curricula, hearing health, hearing health management, assistive and hearing technologies, auditory verbal therapy, center-based learning, literacy, mainstream education, parent supports, parent training, and other important subject matter. Donations have included more than 1,000 hearing aids, dozens of FM systems, hundreds of books, a dozen or more audiometers and related equipment, therapy toys and games, and an abundance of supplies supporting children’s language learning and audiology therapy services. The organization has also contracted and equipped two speech therapy rooms, created resource libraries, started parent groups, and trained parent consultants. PGV has initiated and established a school for the deaf in the Dominican Republic in partnership with local parents and residents.

After 14 years of international mission experience, Directors of PGV assessed the organization’s human and financial resources to identify a program focus. The culmination of knowledge and experience in low resource communities, diverse family cultures, family supports, and hearing health and aural habilitation services allowed the Executive Director, Joanne Travers, to reflect on the organization’s strongest programs and the future of the humanitarian industry. At the core of every mission were family and caregiver supports.

After assessing all programs and initiatives, the Directors of PGV agreed organizational resources would best serve the emotional health of caregivers. PGV implemented a parent education survey in 2015 (completed by over 450 parents) which led to the development of Essential Programs to Coach and Empower. The current program is designed around the psychological well-being of parental caregivers. It is focused on parent empowerment and coaching strategies believed to be universally accepted across culture and socio-economic status. Parent empowerment is a leading topic in hearing health and habilitation around the world, yet practitioners in low resource communities remain challenged with sustainable outcomes in parent engagement and responsiveness. Communication development, literacy, and social emotional growth of children with hearing loss remains a challenge. Many practitioners and parents must learn to cope with children’s disabilities among harsh stigma, limited resources, and poor economic and health conditions. The predicament of most parents living in resource poor communities and the complexity of a global hearing health and humanitarian industry requires the traditional approach to parent education must change in order to improve outcomes of children. PGV’s Essential Programs to Coach and Empower is an in-country, hands-on program focused on ways to cultivate the capability and responsiveness of caregivers with a goal to foster children’s development.

This parent intervention initiative supports practitioners as well as parent and community leaders with a purpose to empower, engage, and enable caregivers more effectively. Objectives include:

- Provoke new ways of thinking
- Maximize personal potential
- Develop meaningful and trusting relationships with caregivers
- Promote effective parent/practitioner communication
- Facilitate positive psychology exercises that enable parents
- Prepare caregivers emotionally for their journey to raise children with hearing differences

This program prompted the Executive Director, Joanne Travers, to write a book called Coaching and Empowering Caregivers of Children with Hearing Loss, an approach to foster well-being. The resource is a culmination of twenty years of support given to families, parenting experience, mind/body health, and international missions Joanne directed for Partners A Greater Voice (PGV). Partners for A Greater Voice (PGV) is a non-profit training and education organization. This is an important resource for practitioners who live and work directly with families in developing countries. Caregivers in low- and limited-resource communities face harsh stigma, exclusion of their children with hearing loss, and barriers to parent supports. Positive interventions are needed to ensure caregivers are equipped emotionally and prepared to engage and participate in their children’s learning and communication.

For more information contact Joanne Travers at info@greatervoice.com / 978.312.1200
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FOR THE FOODIE

What dad wouldn’t love a dinner out at his favorite restaurant? However, we suggest something a bit more memorable, like a picnic. Personalize it by packing/making his favorite foods and dining al fresco. Spread a blanket at the beach, local park or green space and enjoy each other’s company. If he’s a fan of craft beer, stop by your local liquor store and hand select a six pack sampler for him. Many liquor stores sell beer by the bottle, and this is a great way for dad to try a new beer without the commitment. Not a beer lover? Try putting together a basket of goodies that’s only for him—think sharp cheese, summer sausage, pickles, sauces, marinades, spices and rubs that your dad would like. It’s a dad-only stash!

FOR THE OUTDOORSA

We think any dad would love a hiking vest, and they are readily available online. Pick out a plain one with lots of pockets. Every dad only visits a new hiking spot, he can choose a patch to iron on. If your dad loves to grill out in the summer, try gifting him a condiments basket that you’ve curated yourself. Choose some sauces, marinades, spices and rubs that your dad would like. You could even create a custom spice blend just for him. He’ll love changing up his grill game.

Other ideas for a griller include grill utensils, a personalized or funny apron (think “Kiss the Cook!”) or a box of high-quality steaks from his favorite company.

FOR THE TECH GUY

Everyone loves toys, and dads are no different. Maybe dad could use a new, waterproof, GPS-enabled watch. Looking for something less practical but more fun? Drones are a popular gift, and can be found online for $100 to $200. Dad can spend hours pretending he’s a pilot and taking stunning videos of the scenery.

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Summer Hacks

Try out these nifty summer hacks to make the season easier, more convenient and a lot more fun!

ALOE VERA GEL CUBES
We’ve all slathered our bodies with aloe vera gel after a few too many hours at the beach or pool. Cooling and soothing, aloe is known to decrease inflammation and calm the redness and pain associated with sun burns. Try this hack: squidge dollops of aloe vera gel into an ice cube tray. Freeze until solid and run a cube over your sunburn. It’s even more cooling and a breeze to apply. Just be sure to keep these cubes separate from the ice cubes!

NO-CHURN ICE CREAM
Homemade ice cream is the bomb, but many recipes take a long time, require cooking and tempering eggs and employing an ice cream churn. What if I told you homemade, no-churn ice cream is only two ingredients away? All you do is whip two cups of heavy cream until soft peaks form. Pour in a can of sweetened condensed milk that has been chilling in the fridge for an hour. Whipped ingredients together until firm peaks are achieved. Pour into a container and freeze for six hours. Or until soft peaks form. In a rush? Use a few tubs of that half and half! Whip up the cream until soft peaks form. Pour in a can of sweetened condensed milk. What if I told you that homemade, no-churn ice cream is only two ingredients away?

FAIRY JAR
Here’s a fun one for the kids to try at night. Carefully (with a parent’s help or supervision) activate several glow sticks by bending them. Once activated, cut the ends off and squeeze the glow filling into a large ice cube tray. Freeze until solid and run a cube over your sunburn. It’s even more cooling and a breeze to apply. Just be sure to keep these cubes separate from the ice cubes!

HAMMOCK ANYWHERE
Lightweight/camping hammocks are a great summer hack, since they are easy to put up and take down and fold down to almost nothing for easy transport. They set up in minutes, so whether you’re at a summer vacation house, the beach or admiring a stunning vista at the end of a long hike, you can take it all in (or take a snooze) from the comfort of a breezy hammock.

SOUPED UP SMORE
Some may consider altering this summer-time standard sacrilege, but I can’t leave well enough alone. Try using a peanut butter cup instead of the traditional chocolate bar— it’s ooey gooey and sinfully delicious. Another fun variation is swapping the graham crackers for cookies. How about chocolate chip cookies + chocolate hazelnut spread + toasted marshmallows? Okay, now that I’ve got your imagination primed, go out there and start creating!
Overnight Oats

By Chelsea Scott

Known for being healthy and filling, oatmeal is an excellent hot cereal breakfast choice. In the summer months, I like to switch to overnight oats. Think oatmeal, only cold! The recipe is super simple, highly customizable and just the thing for a warm summer morning.

Ingredients:
- ½ cup uncooked old-fashioned oats
- ¼ cup milk (cow, nut, rice—your choice)
- 1 Tbsp honey (local is best)
- ½ cup nonfat plain Greek yogurt (nondairy yogurt works, too)
- 2 Tbsp roasted walnuts
- 2 Tbsp sliced strawberries

Directions:
Combine the first four ingredients in a bowl and stir to combine. Leave in refrigerator for four hours or overnight. Before serving, top with Greek yogurt, strawberries and walnuts.

- The Greek yogurt can be mixed into the oats with the milk for a creamier, thicker texture.
- For a chocolate version, try adding a tablespoon of unsweetened cocoa powder.
- Nut butters are a great addition, providing extra flavor and healthy fat.
- Stir in a scoop of your favorite protein powder to get you through your morning workout!

Preserving Food Without Canning

By Chelsea Scott

Summertime means taking advantage of the bounty of the markets and our gardens and enjoying fresh produce as often as possible. Canning requires special equipment and can be an intimidating process. Drying, pickling or freezing fruits and vegetables are all easy and healthy ways to preserve the summer harvest when produce is at the peak of freshness. Check out these simple ideas:

Freezing

This requires almost no “know-how” or special equipment and will extend the life of fresh produce for up to 12 months.
- Wash, remove stems/hulls and slice fruits.
- Wash, remove stems and blanch vegetables.
- Flash freeze in single layer on cookie sheet.
- Move to freezer bag or vacuum-sealed plastic bags.
- Store 8-12 months.
- Do not freeze cabbage, lettuce, cucumbers, radishes or fruit jellies.

Drying

Dried fruit and vegetables can be made in the oven or a dehydrator. Since we’re all about easy today, let’s stick with the oven method. Good fruits for drying include mangoes, apples, pears, peaches, pineapple, berries, grapes, cherries and bananas. Good vegetables for drying include green beans, potatoes, beets and tomatoes.
- Preheat the oven to 170°F.

Brining/Pickling

Other preservation ideas:
- Slice fruits or vegetables thinly (small berries can stay whole).
- Arrange on a tray lined with parchment paper. Place the pan on a middle rack in the oven.
- Bake for anywhere from four to eight hours, checking and stirring every 30 minutes.
- Remove and let stand overnight and then transfer to storage containers.
- Boil a flavorful brine.
- Pour it over Brussels sprouts, carrots, string beans, peppers, onions, cucumbers or beets in mason jars.
- Place lids on and let cure for six weeks to two months in the refrigerator.

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Like you, the Corliss Bros. staff are avid gardeners, constantly adding to and fine tuning their own backyard landscapes on the North Shore. Although Mother’s Day was a veritable harmonic convergence of nursery stock, presenting gardeners with the widest availability of the season, plant shopping in June (and beyond) has its own rewards. Big pots of sedums and bedding plants, colorful hanging baskets, tropical plants, succulents, and Heuchera (there’s lots more to inspire. More? Teaming up with our online growing partner “Bower & Branch,” allows us to offer an expanded selection of trees. Simply go to corlissbrothers.com, click on “Shop Trees” and await the possibilities! Browse our garden shop for your hard goods, accessories and garden ornamentation. Father’s Day? Hostess gift? Wedding present?

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